



**PANTHEON**®

*Website Management Platform*

# Be A Developer Experience Super Hero:

Robust Dev Scripts For Peace and Joy

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# Who Are you?

Who who, who who?

1. Agency CTO / Lead
2. Lead developer
3. Those who want to be leaders

**Why care about developer experience?**

We aren't just building sites



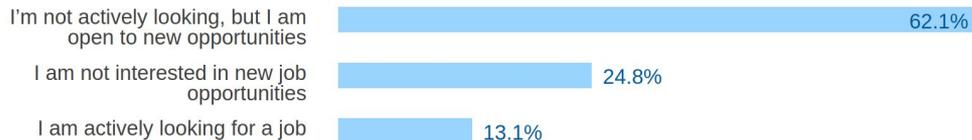
We're building  
teams!





## Looking for a Job

### Job Search Status



33,380 responses

Only 13.1% of developers are actively looking for a job. But 75.2% of developers are interested in hearing about new job opportunities.

Source: [Stack Overflow Developer Survey 2017](#)

**What do developers want?**

# Top Reasons Developers Leave



Source: [2014 Glass Door Survey](#)

## Less time spent on:

- Manual testing
- Workstation configuration
- Project setup

## More time spent on:

- Billable work
- Fancypants fun stuff
- Open source contribution
- Building better orgs

**Which means you can pay  
your team more**

**And bug them about making  
money less**

**I'm Sold! But How?**

# Components of Scripted Serenity

- **Minimal** Local Dependencies (cross platform, as much as possible)
- **Automated** tests, builds, and deployments
- **Accessible**, reliable, and reusable scripts



# Local Dependencies



Composer



Docker-Compose

# **Dependable and Repeatable Tests/Builds**

Regression testing is easier than it has ever been, manual testing hasn't gotten any easier...

But setting up CI/CD can still be a pain

# If at first you don't succeed...

 <b>FIXED</b>	<b>master #74</b> Add version back in	5 months ago 02:50	7516f47	1.0
 <b>FAILED</b>	<b>master #73</b> Update ci config	5 months ago 01:50	d822e41	1.0
 <b>CANCELED</b>	<b>master #72</b> Remove restui from config	5 months ago 09:48	db701c3	1.0
 <b>FAILED</b>	<b>master #71</b> Remove restui from config	5 months ago 02:42	db701c3	1.0
 <b>FAILED</b>	<b>master #70</b> Update circle test command	6 months ago 04:02	3468292	1.0
 <b>FAILED</b>	<b>master #69</b> Cleanup Robofile	6 months ago 02:53	05b941f	1.0
 <b>FAILED</b>	<b>master #68</b> Update CI scripts	6 months ago 02:50	2165766	1.0
 <b>FAILED</b>	<b>master #67</b> Update test scripts	6 months ago 03:23	508eb2a	1.0

[← Newer builds](#) [Older builds →](#)

## 74th time is a charm!

One Command:

- New Pantheon Site
- New Github Repo
- CircleCI
- Behat
- Deploy to multi-dev



Get it here: <https://github.com/pantheon-systems/terminus-build-tools-plugin>

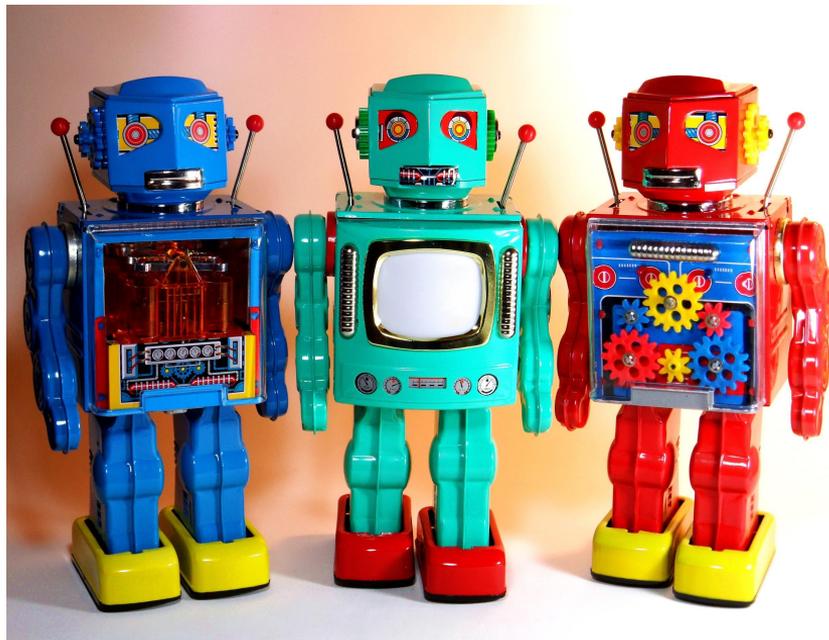
```
$ terminus build-env:create-project --team="Team Discovery Channel" disc-d8 best-site-ever
```

# Much Better!

 SUCCESS	master #7  Update scripts	 13 min ago	 10:31  2026391	1.0
 FIXED	master #6  Update scripts	 21 min ago	 10:02  57c73d3	1.0
 FAILED  rebuild	master #5  Update scripts	 31 min ago	 04:07  57c73d3	1.0
 FIXED	master #4  Convert scripts to robo	 2 hr ago	 11:09  bf282b8	1.0
 FAILED  rebuild	master #3  Configure Behat for local runs	 1 day ago	 10:28  e1b0747	1.0
 FIXED	master #2  wip	 23 days ago	 13:44  a577b2e	1.0
 FAILED  rebuild	master #1  Initial commit	 1 month ago	 07:02  4912aad	1.0

# How best to use CI?

- Build Assets, keeping source repos small, making patching declarative and automated.
- Check code style, complexity, and performance
- Run acceptance and unit tests
- Consistent and reliable deployments
- Everything you need to do before shipping...but forget to do.



# Super Smart Scripting

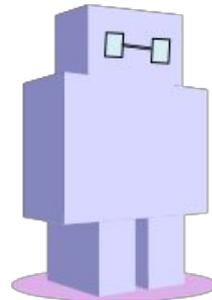
- Easy to contribute
- Easy to understand
- Easy to extend

# Scripting like a PHP developer

```
/**
 * Synchronizes local development environment with a specified remote.
 * @param $env
 * @throws \Robo\Exception\TaskException
 */
public function sync($env) {
    if (!array_key_exists($env, $this->envs)) {
        return $this->say("I'm sorry but that environment is invalid");
    }
    if ($this->syncDb($env)->run()->wasSuccessful()) {
        $this->disableProdModules();
        $this->enableDevModules();
        $this->buildDrushTask()
            ->exec("vset stage_file_proxy_origin {$this->getEnvUrl($env)}")
            ->run();
    }

    if ($this->ask("Should I run updates and revert features? (y/n) \n") === 'y') {
        $this->runUpdates();
    }
}
```

<http://robo.li>



Robo to the  
rescue!

# Symfony Console Style Commands



```
super-scripts master % ./vendor/bin/robo
Robo version 1.0.6
```

```
Usage:
  command [options] [arguments]
```

```
Options:
  -h, --help                Display this help message
  -q, --quiet               Do not output any message
  -V, --version             Display this application version
  --ansi                   Force ANSI output
  --no-ansi                Disable ANSI output
  -n, --no-interaction     Do not ask any interactive question
  --simulate               Run in simulated mode (show what would have happened).
  --progress-delay=PROGRESS-DELAY Number of seconds before progress bar is displayed in long-running task collections. Default: 2s. [default: 2]
  -D, --define=DEFINE      Define a configuration item value. (multiple values allowed)
  -vv|vvv, --verbose       Increase the verbosity of messages: 1 for normal output, 2 for more verbose output and 3 for debug
```

```
Available commands:
  help                Displays help for a command
  list                Lists commands
  setup               Seed database, shim in settings.local.php
  test                Run Behat tests.
  up                  Bring containers up, seed files as needed.
  backup
  backup:get          Pull fresh backup from dev site.
  db
  db:seed             Provision the database seed for Docker.
  terminus
  terminus:login
super-scripts master %
```

# Just Public Functions In A Class

```
1 ?php
2
3 /**
4  * This is project's console commands configuration for Robo task runner.
5  *
6  * @see http://robo.li/
7  */
8 class RoboFile extends \Robo\Tasks
9 {
10     const COMPOSE_BIN = 'docker-compose';
11     const DRUPAL_ROOT = __DIR__ . '/web';
12     const DUMP_FILE = __DIR__ . '/dump.sql.gz';
13     const BEHAT_BIN = './vendor/bin/behata';
14     const SITENAME = 'super-scripts';
15     const TERMINUS_BIN = 'terminus';
16
17
18     /**
19      * Provision the database seed for Docker.
20      */
21     public function dbSeed()
22     {
23         $this->exec('gunzip dump.sql.gz');
24         $this->taskFilesystemStack()
25             ->mkdir('mariadb-init')
26             ->remove('mariadb-init/dump.sql')
27             ->rename('dump.sql', 'mariadb-init/dump.sql')
28             ->run();
29     }
30
31     /**
32      * Pull fresh backup from dev site.
33      */
```

# Why use PHP?

- Familiar to Drupal developers
- Cuts down on context switching and number of languages (per project)
- Access to Application functionality
- Consistent execution
- Encourages contribution



<https://github.com/dustinleblanc/super-scripts>

## 5 Commands From never touching the project, to ready to add new features

```
dustinleblanc ~ > git clone super-scripts -q
dustinleblanc ~ > cd super-scripts
dustinleblanc ~ > super-scripts composer install -q
dustinleblanc ~ > super-scripts composer up
> robo up
[Exec] Running terminus login --machine-token=
[notice] Found a machine token for dustin.m.leblanc@gmail.com.
[notice] Logging in via machine token.
[Exec] Done in 0.905s
[Exec] Running terminus 'backup:create' super-scripts.dev --element db
[notice] Created a backup of the dev environment.
[Exec] Done in 5.364s
[Exec] Running terminus 'backup:get' super-scripts.dev --to /home/dustinleblanc/super-scripts/dump.sql.gz
[Exec] Done in 2.319s
[Exec] Running gunzip dump.sql.gz
[Exec] Done in 0.038s
[Filesystem\FilesystemStack] mkdir ["mariadb-init"]
[Filesystem\FilesystemStack] remove ["mariadb-init/dump.sql"]
[Filesystem\FilesystemStack] _rename ["dump.sql","mariadb-init/dump.sql"]
[Exec] Running docker-compose up -d
Creating network "superscripts_default" with the default driver
Creating superscripts_php_1
Creating superscripts_testdb_1
Creating superscripts_mariadb_1
Creating superscripts_mailhog_1
Creating superscripts_testphp_1
Creating superscripts_nginx_1
Creating superscripts_testnginx_1
Creating superscripts_phantomjs_1
[Exec] Done in 2.571s
dustinleblanc ~ > super-scripts composer test
> robo test
[Exec] Running docker-compose run testphp ./vendor/bin/behat --colors --format progress
.....
5 scenarios (5 passed)
27 steps (27 passed)
0m15.34s (11.97Mb)
[Exec] Done in 16.298s
dustinleblanc ~ > super-scripts
```

# Helpful tools

# Every Superhero needs a team!



## KALABOX

Local development with Docker + Slick GUI + Sick Pantheon Integration

[www.kalabox.io](http://www.kalabox.io)

# Every Superhero needs a team!



```
1 version: "2"
2
3 services:
4   mariadb:
5     image: wodby/mariadb:10.1-2.0.0
6     environment:
7       MYSQL_ROOT_PASSWORD: password
8       MYSQL_DATABASE: drupal
9       MYSQL_USER: drupal
10      MYSQL_PASSWORD: drupal
11     volumes:
12       - ./mariadb-init/docker-entrypoint-initdb.d # Place init .sql file(s) here.
13
14   php:
15     image: wodby/drupal-php:7.0-2.0.0
16     environment:
17       PHP_SENDMAIL_PATH: /usr/sbin/sendmail -t -i -S mailhog:1025
18       PRESSFLOW_SETTINGS: '{"databases":{"default":{"database":"drupal","username":"drupal","password":"drupal","host":"mariadb","port":"3306","driver":"mysql"},"
19 prefix":"","collation":"utf8mb4_general_ci'}}}'
20       PANTHEON_ENVIRONMENT: local
21       # PHP_XDEBUG: 1
22       # PHP_XDEBUG_DEFAULT_ENABLE: 1
23       # PHP_XDEBUG_REMOTE_CONNECT_BACK: 0 # This is needed to respect remote.host setting below
24       # PHP_XDEBUG_REMOTE_HOST: "10.254.254.254" # You will also need to 'sudo ifconfig lo0 alias 10.254.254.254'
25     volumes:
26       - ./var/www/html
27       # - d4d-unsync:/var/www/html:rw # Replace volume to this to use docker-sync for macOS users
28
29   nginx:
30     image: wodby/drupal-nginx:8-1.10-2.0.0
31     restart: unless-stopped
32     depends_on:
33       - php
34     environment:
35       NGINX_BACKEND_HOST: php
36       NGINX_SERVER_ROOT: /var/www/html/web
37       DRUPAL_HASH_SALT: mm...salty
38     ports:
39       - "8000:80"
40     volumes:
41       - ./var/www/html
42
43   testdb:
44     image: wodby/mariadb:10.1-2.0.0
45     environment:
```

## [Docker4Drupal](#) by [Wodby](#)

Docker-Compose containers that are super easy to get started with

Every Superhero needs a team!

# DRUPAL VM



[DrupalVM](#) is a great non-Docker way to have consistent and declarative dev environments

# Do the Friday sprints!

Participate in the Drupal community, attend the Friday sprints!

<https://events.drupal.org/baltimore2017/sprints>

All are welcome, from new folks to wise and experienced Drupalists, help make Drupal even better!



# Thank you!



Thanks so much for your time!

Please provide any feedback you have on my presentation here:

<https://events.drupal.org/baltimore2017/sessions/be-developer-experience-super-hero-robust-dev-scripts-peace-and-joy>

Questions?